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**VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION**

Regional Freedom of Information Officer  
U.S. EPA, Region 10  
Office of External Affairs  
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**Re: Freedom of Information Act Request  
Pasco Sanitary Landfill**

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552 *et seq.* we hereby request all public information in the possession of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") including any emails, studies, reports, investigations and any other documents relating to and concerning the Pasco Sanitary Landfill Site ("Pasco Site"), located in or near the City of Pasco, Franklin County, Washington.

Specifically, we request all information in the possession of, including but not limited to, the EPA Region 10, the Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, the Office of Emergency Management, the Office of Superfund Remediation and Technology Innovation and the Federal Facilities Response and Reuse Office.

We request production of documents in electronic media in a word-searchable format, if possible. Please identify and inform us of all potentially responsive records within the statutorily prescribed time, and the basis of any claimed exemptions or privilege for each. Where the claimed exemption is discretionary, we request EPA exercise its discretion to release the records consistent with principles of open government. Please include all reasonably segregable nonexempt portions of documents as required by the FOIA. If a document contains a mix of exempt and non-exempt segments such that segregation is impossible, please state which portions are non-exempt, how the material is dispersed throughout the document, and provide an index of such documents to allow us to make an independent determination regarding exemption.

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For fee assessment purposes, we are seeking information for the purpose of legal representation and not for commercial use. We are willing to pay the associated statutory fees for this request, up to \$500.00. If the estimated cost to responding this request is estimated to exceed \$500.00, we may choose to narrow the scope of this request. To provide notification of any excess fees, or for any other questions or clarifications regarding this request, please contact us by phone or email as soon as possible.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request within twenty (20) working days as required by the FOIA.

Very truly yours,

THE JUSTIS LAW FIRM LLC

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rachel D. Guthrie", written over a horizontal line.

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